REMARKS

This responds to the Final Office Action dated May 10, 2011.

No claim is amended, and claims 14-20 and 25-37 are canceled; as a result, claims 1-7, 9, 11-13, 21-24, and 46-55 are now pending in this application.

It is respectfully noted that claims 29-37 are indicated as being allowed in the Office Action Summary but rejected in the Detailed Action. Based on the reasoning discussed in the Detailed Action (paragraphs 5 and 9-11), claims 29-37 are believed to be rejected.

To advance prosecution of the present application, claims 14-20 and 25-37 have been canceled without prejudice and disclaimer. Applicant respectfully reserves the right to reintroduce these canceled claims in one or more continuation applications at a later date.

The Rejection of Claims Under § 102

Claims 14-20 and 25-37 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Park (U.S Patent No. 7,136,705).

Claims 14-20 and 25-37 have been canceled, rendering the rejection moot.

Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant acknowledges the allowance of claims 1-7, 9, 11-13, 21-24, and 46-55. All the pending claims are indicated to be allowed in the Office Action.

Title: CROSS-CHECKING OF TRANSTHORACIC IMPEDENCE AND ACCELERATION SIGNALS

CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance, and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's representative at (612) 373-6965 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

If necessary, please charge any additional fees or deficiencies, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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